

The Office of the Governor **Proclamation**

Executive Department State of Idaho State Capitol Boise

WHEREAS, the Eagle Idaho Rib Cook Off and Spudfest will be held in Eagle, Idaho on August 29th-September 1st, 2008; and

WHEREAS, the Eagle Idaho Rib Cook Off and Spudfest involves teams and judges from the entire Pacific Northwest, including Idaho, Washington, Oregon, Utah and Montana, and will draw visitors from those areas; and

WHEREAS, the four BBQ categories of the competition include ribs, chicken, pork, and brisket; and

WHEREAS, the grand champion of the Eagle Idaho Rib Cook Off and Spudfest will be designated as an Idaho State Champion and will be eligible to enter the draw for the Jack Daniel's Invitational and to be invited to the American Royal and Great American BBQ events;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, C.L. "BUTCH" OTTER, Governor of the State of Idaho do hereby proclaim August 29 through September 1, 2008 as

EAGLE, IDAHO RIB COOK OFF AND SPUDFEST BBQ CHAMPIONSHIP DAYS

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Idaho in Boise on this 22^{nd} day of August in the year of our Lord two-thousand and eight and of the Independence of the United States of America the two hundred thirty-third and of the Statehood of Idaho the one hundred nineteenth.

C.L. "BUTCH" OTTER GOVERNOR

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